

Barker Central School District
Student Chromebook Care and Maintenance

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Barker students in grades 3-11 will keep their school-assigned Chromebooks to access web-based learning resources over the summer months. Please use the information below to assist with daily Chromebook maintenance.

A. Connect your Chromebook to Wi-Fi

To connect to the Internet, use a compatible Wi-Fi network.

Step 1: Turn on Wi-Fi

1. At the bottom right, select the time.
2. Select Not Connected  .
Note: If you see your Wi-Fi network name and a signal strength, your Chromebook is already connected to Wi-Fi.
3. Turn on Wi-Fi.
4. Your Chromebook will automatically look for available networks and show them to you in a list.

Step 2: Pick a network and connect

Connect to an open network

Select the Wi-Fi network

B. Update your Chromebook's operating system

Your Chromebook automatically checks for and downloads updates when connected to Wi-Fi.

1. When your Chromebook downloads a software update, find the "Update available" notification.
2. Select Restart to Update.
3. Your Chromebook will restart and update.

Check for updates yourself

1. Turn on your Chromebook.
2. At the bottom right, select the time > Settings  .
3. At the bottom left, select About ChromeOS.
4. Under "Google ChromeOS," find which version of the Chrome operating system your Chromebook uses.
5. Select Check for updates.
6. If your Chromebook finds a software update, it will start to download automatically.
7. If prompted to restart when install completes, click restart to complete the update.